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## SHIPPING.

**ARRIVALS.**  
February 28, DAVENPORT, British steamer, 552, Clancy, Bangkok 18th February, Rico.  
—YVES FAU HONG.  
February 28, PAPA, Ger. bark, 392 F. Bloese, from Whampoa, General—SIEMSEN & Co.  
February 28, C. T. CARLETON, Amer. bark, 916, J. A. Armstrong, Liverpool 21st February, Clancy, P. O. S. N. Co.  
March 1, GAZA, German steamer, 1267, R. Bohne, Shanghai 27th February, General—W. F. FURST & Co.  
March 1, TAIWAN, British str., 408, Young, Pootung 26th February, Tamsui 26th, Tamsui 26th, Amoy 27th, and Swatow 28th, General—D. LAURIAUX & Co.  
March 1, Vasa, German ship, 1115, B. Jackson, Cardiff 18th October, Coals—MELCHERS & Co.  
March 1, MARIA RAVANO, Italian bark, 574, Ravano, Cardiff 25th September, Coals—ONDER.  
March 1, PAVILLON, French bk., 458, Joubin, Hon Chou 14th Feb., Salt and Paddy—ONDER.  
March 1, MAROLA, British steamer, 1,000, J. H. Broke, from 28th February, Rico—SIEMSEN & Co.  
March 1, NORTH STAR, American ship, 1,374, Thomson, Cardiff 11th August, Coals—D. LAURIAUX & Co.

## CLEARANCES.

At the Harbour Master's Office, Hong Kong, 1st March, 1878.  
Normanby, British steamer, for Cocktown and Sydney.  
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Yangtze, British steamer, for Shanghai.  
China, German steamer, for Canton.  
Morris, German bark, for Newchwang.  
Heronius, British brig, for Newchwang.  
Pinto, German bark, for Newchwang.  
Horse, German bark, for Chefoo.  
Sophie, German bark, for Chefoo.  
Nicolson, German schooner, for Whampoa.  
Dauphine, French brig, for Labuan.  
Lee-yuen, Chinese steamer, for Shanghai.

## DEPARTURES.

March 1, ALEXANDER NEWTON, British bark, for Whampoa.  
March 1, FRANCISCO STARO, Italian bark, for Manila.  
March 1, NORTHERN STAR, British bark, for Whampoa.  
March 1, PERMANENCE, British steamer, for Saigon.  
March 1, RANGER, American corvette, for Port-au-Prince.  
March 1, LEE-YUEN, Chinese steamer, for Shanghai.  
March 1, PEARL, British str., for Swatow.  
March 1, NORMANBY, British steamer, for Cocktown and Sydney.  
March 1, ANTONIA, German str., for Saigon.  
March 1, YANKEE, Brit. str., for Shanghai.

## PASSENGERS.

Per Galatia, str., from Shanghai—Mr. Kirkstien and family, Mr. Von Fier for Canton, and 1 Chinese.  
Per Taitung, str., from Swatow, Amoy, Mousses, Gray and Klamies.  
Per Densie, str., from Bangkok—20 Chinese.  
Per Maria, str., from Saigon—Mr. and Mrs. Douglas and servant.

## REPORTS.

The British steamer Darnley reports left Bangkok on 18th February, and had strong monsoon throughout.  
The French bark Papillon reports left Hon Chou on 14th February, and had variable N.E. winds.  
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## AUCTIONS.

**FURNITURE SALE.**  
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, in Duddell Street, on  
the 5th March, 1878, at Noon.  
An Assortment of HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, comprising COUCHES, CHAIRS, MARBLE TOP TABLES, SLID TABLES, WARDROBES, CHESTS OF DRAWERS, WARDROBES, CHESTS OF DRAWERS, BEDSTEADS, MATTRESSES, DRESSING TABLES, &c., &c., &c.  
The above Furniture is to be delivered in Mexican Dollars, weighed at 7.17. All Lots, with all faults and errors of description, at purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer.  
Hongkong, 28th February, 1878. [378]

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

Plaintiff—CHUN A. YAT.  
Defendant—No A-Kew.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from the Registrar of the Supreme Court of Hongkong to Sell by Public Auction, under the Powers of the Court, made in the above Suit, on the Premises, on  
the 15th of March, 1878, at THREE o'clock in the Afternoon,  
All that PIECE or PARCELS of GROUND, situate lying and being at Victoria, in the Island of Hongkong, abutting on the North side thereof on the Praya, and measuring thereof Fourteen feet, on the South side thereof on a Public Road, and measuring thereof Fourteen feet, on the East side thereof on a Close registered in the Land Office as Lot No. 208, and measuring thereof One Hundred feet, which said Piece or PARCELS of GROUND, contains in the whole One Thousand and Four Hundred square feet, and is registered in the Land Office as Lot No. 80. For the residue of the term of 99 years, created by a Crown Lease dated the 28th day of May, 1867, to commence from the 28th day of December, 1869, subject to the Tenants' Right of Twenty-four Dollars and Sixty-eight Cents, and to all other covenants, conditions and stipulations in the said Crown Lease reserved or contained.  
The foregoing Property will be sold subject to a Mortgage of \$4,000 and interest thereon at 30 per cent. per annum, calculated from the 28th day of January, 1878, and the said Mortgage expires on the 28th day of January, 1879.  
For further Particulars and Conditions of Sale, apply to WILLIAM HENRY BARNES, Auctioneer, for the Plaintiff, 25, Queen's Road, Hongkong.

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## NOTICE.

THE Undersigned, having become LESSEE of the "HONGKONG DAILY PRESS" and the BUSINESS connected therewith, will conduct the same on his own account from this date.  
R. CHATTERTON WILCOX,  
Daily Press Office,  
Hongkong, 1st January, 1878.

## NOTICE.

A. S. WATSON AND CO.  
FAMILY AND DISPENSING  
CHEMISTS.  
By Appointment to His Excellency the Governor and his Royal Highness the DUKE OF EDINBURGH.  
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DRUGGISTS.  
PATENT MEDICINE VENDORS,  
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AERATED WATER MAKERS.

## SHIPS' MEDICINE CHESTS REFITTED.

PASSENGERS' SAINS SUPPLIED.

## NOTICE.

Notice is to be given in the execution of Orders it is particularly requested that all business communications be addressed to the Firm, A. S. WATSON AND CO., or  
HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

## The Daily Press.

HONGKONG, MARCH 2ND, 1878.

The Messageries Maritimes Company's steamship *Anadyr*, with the next French mail, will leave Saigon this morning for this port.

"A telegram to Paris will be offered in the Roman Catholic Cathedral to-morrow at 5.30 p.m. in thanksgiving for the election of the New Pontiff Pope Leo XIII."

The steamer *Taiwan*, Captain Young, which arrived here yesterday, reports having sighted the wreck of the *Forest Lake* on the south and of *Formosa* on her passage down.

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